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1. The following troops and materiel were unloaded at Lieberose railroad station:

At 1600 on 14 August: 4 x 122-mm guns, 20 trucks and troops from 10 boxcars.

At noon on 15 August: 8 x 120-mm mortars, 30 trucks

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The units left for Camp Lieberose.

2. At 0530 on 19 August, the following troops and materiel were detrained at Berlin-Schoeneweide railroad station:

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3. The following entrainments were seen at Berlin-Kaulsdorf railroad station:

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4. On 18 August, 2 shipments from the direction of Herzig were detrained at Kuestrin-Kietz railroad station. Eight 85-mm AA guns, 2 Puasco-3 fire control directors, about 25 motor vehicles and about 200 soldiers wearing red-ordered black epaulets were observed on each train.³

1. Comment. According to other sources, 3 or 4 trains with units

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of the 23th Gds Mech Regt of the 7th Gds Mech Div were entrained in Berlin-Schoeneweide on 13 August. The present report indicates that the troops went to Lieberose for short-term firing practice and that the first elements of them returned on 19 August. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] The units were probably to conduct exercises in the area south of the Merswalde and Bad Freienwalde posts together with other elements of the division. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Comment. The medium regiment of the units of the 32d AAA Div stationed in Kuesrin was de trained. The regiment had transferred to Wustrow in two shipments on 10 June.

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